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MEDICINAL.

CURES OTHERS.

Mrs. WILLIAM ROBERTS, Bridgeport, N. Y., writes: "I had not taken your Medicine for some time. I would not be here now. The doctors did me no good. I was just a mere skeleton, could not eat, could not sleep. I would have a great deal of trouble in my stomach, pain in my side, bowels and chest; soreness in my back and joints; was weak, nervous, and could not sleep. After I took your 'Favorite Prescription' and 'Golden Medical Discovery,' I commenced to improve. In two weeks could walk about the house, could eat, did not have any more pain in my stomach, bowels and chest. I am now quite healthy and can work all day."

MEETINGS.

NOTICE.—General meeting of the stockholders of the WASHINGTON REAL ESTATE COMPANY.

We, the undersigned stockholders of the Washington Real Estate Company, holding together more than one-tenth (1-10) of the capital stock of said company, do hereby call a general meeting of the stockholders of said company to be held at No. 115 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Va., SATURDAY, August 25th, 1894, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose following, to-wit:

First, To amend section one (1) of article five (5) of the Constitution of said company, so as to make said section one (1) read as follows:

"The annual meetings shall be held in the city of Alexandria, State of Virginia, on the third (3rd) Monday in October of each and every year, the first of said annual meetings to be held on the third (3rd) Monday of October, 1894; and at the annual meetings, including first said annual meeting, the officers and directors mentioned in section one (1) of article six (6) of this Constitution shall be elected; and to constitute a quorum for the transaction of any business, there must be present those who can give a majority of all the votes which could be given by all the stockholders."

Secondly, To amend section three (3) of article nine (9) of the constitution of said company, so as to make said section three (3) read as follows:

"The attorney shall be a member of the bar of the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, and shall reside in Washington, D. C. He shall perform such duties as the board of directors may from time to time require, and he shall not be eligible as any officer mentioned in section one (1) of article six (6) of this constitution."

We also give notice that at said general meeting hereinbefore called we intend to offer a resolution removing the then five directors, members of the board of directors of said company, and to proceed forthwith to fill the vacancies caused by such removal.

JOHN D. MONTELL,
J. AUGUSTUS TAYLOR,
AUG. CRANE, JR.,
HENRY L. BALLENTINE,
JOHN H. WALTER,
Washington, D. C. July 13th, 1894.

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A GENERAL MEETING of the stockholders of the COLUMBIA CHEMICAL COMPANY will be held at twelve o'clock noon at the office of James R. Coton, attorney at law, 111 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on MONDAY, the 20th day of August, 1894, for the transaction of such business as may be brought before the meeting.

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Alexandria, Va.

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The GAZETTE office is connected with the Telephone Exchange. Advertisements, orders for the paper, news or any information or business can be sent by telephone.

Entered at the Postoffice at Alexandria, Virginia, as second-class matter.

Tells Why He Ejected the Coxeyites.

When Gov. O'Ferrall was asked at the Blue Ridge Springs the other day if he desired to say anything regarding the Washington paper's strictures on him for driving the industrialists out of Virginia, he replied:

"The little county of Alexandria, Va., with less than 800 inhabitants—123 white, 21 colored—taxable values of only \$1,500,000, and a population (white and colored) of only 2,500, was made the dumping ground of this horde of idlers and vagrants, numbering at their height more than a thousand. These intruders were without money, food, or means of subsistence. When work was offered to them they refused it, but they had no idea of starving. Squads were sent out daily into the surrounding country with wagons to secure supplies, and for weeks the citizens of Alexandria county, mostly farmers, suffering from the failure of crops and the depression of the times, were forced to contribute to the support of these vagabonds. The women were terrorized and compelled, in the absence of the men, to comply with the demands made on them for food. Thieving was common and the quiet and peace of the citizens for miles around were disturbed by the midnight prowlings of these strangers, representing almost every nationality. If any of the Coxeyites ventured over the river into Washington and were caught begging they were arrested and put in the workhouse. This made them shy of the city, and their levies upon Alexandria county heavier, and the 400 white taxpayers of this county were for weeks virtually compelled to supply food daily for men frequently more than double their number.

"This state of things could not continue," continued the Governor, "something had to be done. Appeals for relief came to me from every direction, including the Sheriff and Board of Supervisors of Alexandria county. There were only two remedies:

"First, the enforcement of the vagrant laws.

"Second, the expulsion of these strangers from the State.

"The first was impracticable. They could not be hired out, for no one would hire men who would have to be guarded; and, besides, there were too many of them for the demand. They could not be put in a workhouse, for Virginia has no workhouse, and they could not be put in jail, for the jail of the county would not hold one-tenth of them, and besides the expense of their support in jail would have intolerable to be borne. Nothing was left for me to do but to require them to leave the State. I gave them more than twenty-four hours notice to break camp and depart. They paid no attention to it, and then I ordered the military to drive them out by the way they came, which was across the bridge spanning the Potomac.

"I have spoken of the feeble condition of county of Alexandria, and while I might say that it was not a generous act upon the part of the capital city of the nation, with her more than 200,000 population, billions of taxable values, and unlimited resources, with her workhouse and public improvements and police system, to push these hundreds of vagrants off upon the little county of Alexandria.

"The good citizens residing opposite Washington," replied the Governor, "have been sorely afflicted for a long time. The Virginia bank of the Potomac, particularly about Jackson City and Rosslyn, has been the rendezvous of gamblers, thieves, and cutthroats for years. I do not think a worse place could be found anywhere. It is a disgrace to the State, a shame to the community, and an incubus upon the prosperity of the neighborhood. Civil authority is either put at defiance, and the officials are powerless, or these officials fail to discharge their duty, and the citizens are content to keep them in office. I hope, for the sake of the fair name of the State, the law will hereafter be enforced by those entrusted with its enforcement, and if unable to suppress lawlessness and bring offenders to punishment, they will so declare, in order that there may be a resort to stronger means."

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10c Canton Flannel reduced to 7c.

25c Red Table Damask only 18c.

25c Double-width Skirting reduced to 11c.

25c White or Red Flannel reduced to 15c.

50c White or Red Flannel, Medicated, reduced to 35c.

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10c Outing reduced to 5c.

65c White Bed Spreads reduced to 49c.

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